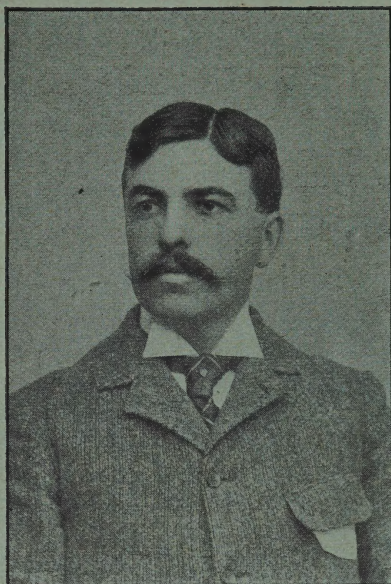


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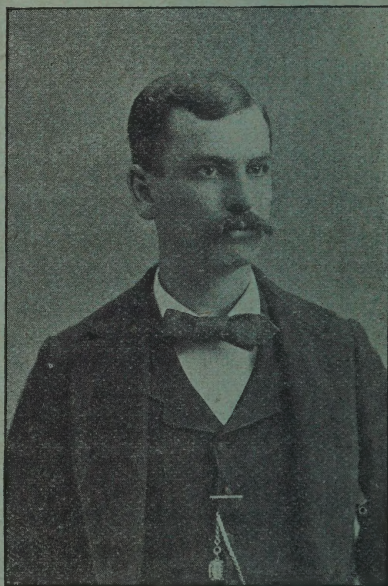
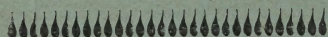
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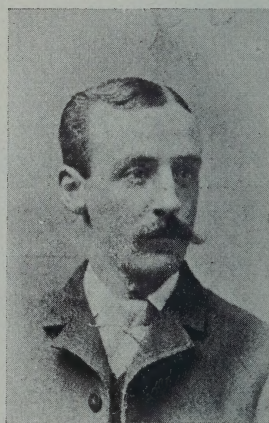
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# Treasurers' Report.

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## DR.

Received of G. H. Walker, former treasurer			\$ . 41
M. P. Burpee, collector	1888		28. 56
M. P. Burpee,	"	1889	31. 51
J. C. Crooker,	"	1894	140. 00
"	"	" interest	3. 34
M. H. Perkins,	"	1895	311. 24
"	"	" "	8. 76
"	"	1896	1,849. 00
County of Sullivan, pauper bills			280. 71
State railroad tax			64. 17
Savings bank tax			180. 91
Literary fund			59. 50
Dog license			56. 40
W. I. Stove Co., license			2. 00
School board, repairs on school house			4. 50
James M. Hastings, lumber from J. Barton farm			47. 50
Leases			31. 09

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\$3,099. 60

## CR.

Paid County tax	\$429. 48
State tax	330. 00

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\$759. 48

## SCHOOLS.

J. M. Howe, school money	\$525. 00
" school supplies	23. 00
American book Co.,	31. 84

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\$579. 84



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## DOG DAMAGE,

Paid Geo. B. Barton, damage to fowls	\$10. 00
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## LABOR and MATERIAL on HIGHWAYS.

Paid James B. Green, road agent	\$263. 84
J. M. Hastings,       “	322. 77
Edwin Howard,       “	104. 82
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	\$691. 43

## MISCELLANEOUS BILL.

Paid E. G. Eastman, expenses and clerk entry	
fee on highway	\$7. 70
J. M. Howe, library books, 1895	17. 25
F. P. Fisher, return of births and deaths 1895	. 50
J. M. Howe, printing town reports	19. 00
R. W. Thornburg, damage on road	8. 00
Repairs on Dunbar Hill school-house	29. 50
Recording deeds	. 66
6 check lists	. 50
Dog license blanks	1. 11
H. F. Kimball, care of hearse	3. 00
A. M. Walker, library books	19. 80
M. V. B. Hastings, keeping tramps	1. 00
W. H. Howard,	2. 00
" tax book, postage and stationery	2. 75
" making gate on town line	1. 50
W. H. Miller, preambing town line	. 50
Perley Walker,	2. 00
Ira B. Walker, oil for library	. 83
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	\$117. 60

# 5

## USE OF WATERING TROUGH.

Paid W. H. Miller,	\$2. 50
O. F. Buswell,	2. 50
Warren Emerson,	2. 50
Joab Walker,	2. 00
J. C. Crooker,	2. 50
M. P. Burpee,	2. 00
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	\$14. 00

## TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid H. F. Kimball, services as supervisor	\$5. 00
H. G. Hastings, “	5. 00
Clara B. Howe, services on school board	10. 00
J. M. Howe, “	10. 00
Rosina K. Perkins, “	5. 00
J. M. Howe, school treasurer	5. 00
J. M. Howe, librarian	14. 70
W. H. Howard, selectman & overseer of poor	35. 00
Perley Walker, “	20. 00
M. V. B. Hastings, “	15. 00
M. H. Perkins, tax collector	35. 00
G. H. Walker, town clerk	10. 00
“ town treasurer	15. 00
I. S. Brown, auditor	1. 00
A. L. Shedd, “	1. 00
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	\$186. 70

## SUPPORT OF POOR, COUNTY CHARGES.

Paid Carlton Hurd, medicine for N. C. Thornton	\$ .85
J. L. Cain, medical att'nce “	12. 50
H. L. Stickney, “ “	4. 70
Ira B. Walker, goods “	1. 60

## 6

Paid W. H. Howard, conveying Thornton	
children to county farm	\$7. 00
G. H. Walker, goods for N. C. Thornton family	158. 23
G. A. Fairbanks, " "	6. 99
E. M. Hunton, " "	5. 15
Benjamin Young, board of Alvin Young	30. 25
Perley Walker, hay for J. H. Lovering	3. 00
G. H. Walker, goods " "	22. 02
" " Maud Turner	5. 00
" " J. Osier	2. 00
" " E. A. Griffin	15. 42
Mrs. Sylvester Hastings, work " "	6. 00
	<hr/> \$280. 71

### TOWN CHARGES.

Paid John Loverin, support O. Heath	\$26. 35
C. E. Gray, " "	12. 50
H. F. Kimball, " "	28. 50
J. L. Cain, medicine " "	2. 00
G. H. Walker, clothing and medicine O. Heath	7. 84
W. H. Howard, carrying Mrs. Munroe to c farm	3. 00
" " express on trunk	. 50
	<hr/> \$80. 69

### PAID ON NOTES.

Paid Methodist society,	\$3. 00
David E. Ryder,	191. 90
M. S. Barton,	70. 70
	<hr/> \$265. 60
G. H. Walker, interest on church fund	\$1. 20



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## SUPPORT OF JAMES BARTON.

Paid Moulton & Roberts, groceries	\$ 1. 78
Geo. H. Walker,                   “	68. 63
James Barton, cash	18. 00
I. N. Fowler, medical attendance	2. 00
Edwin Howard, chopping wood	2. 00
“                   beef	3. 72
M. V. B. Hastings, mending fence	1. 00
“                   drawing wood	2. 50
Smith Bros. shingles and work	5. 05
W. H. Howard, labor and nails	2. 65
Perley Walker, phosphate and work	4. 45
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	\$111. 78

## RECAPITULATION.

Whole amount received,	\$3,099. 60
Paid County tax	429. 48
State tax	330. 00
Schools	579. 84
Dog damage	10. 00
Labor and material on highway	691. 43
Miscellaneous bills	117. 60
Use of watering troughs	14. 00
Town officers	186. 70
Support of poor	361. 40
Support James Barton	111. 78
Paid on notes	265. 60
Paid interest on school fund	1. 20
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Whole amount paid out	\$3,099. 03
Balance in my hands as treasurer	\$ . 57

GEORGE H. WALKER, Treasurer.

## Road Agents' Report.

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Paid F. W. Corliss,	\$27. 64
Howard & Stockwell, lumber	30. 15
Isaac Reney, lumber and work	27. 15
Jerome J. Gault, " "	31. 62
Beri E. Tobine,	6. 00
Almon H. Church,	2. 50
Almon G. Coon,	3. 00
Carlos Spooner,	13. 50
George E. Bond,	6. 00
John W. Sherman,	1. 25
Willard Sherman,	5. 00
E. W. Shafnor,	1. 25
James B. Green,	90. 15
M. P. Burpee, lumber	10. 93

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Total,	\$256. 14
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### BREAKING ROADS.

Paid James B. Green,	\$4. 20
Henry P. Howe,	1. 00
D. H. Currier,	2. 50

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Total,	\$7. 70
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JAMES B. GREEN, Road Agent.

### LABOR and MATERIAL on HIGHWAYS.

Paid I. S. Brown,	\$10. 95
S. R. Smith,	12. 00
E. M. Smith,	12. 50
John H. Merrill,	21. 16

George H. Hastings,	\$8. 12
Frank Hastings,	10. 00
Edwin Howard,	24. 00
H. G. Walker,	25. 80
Charles Hastings,	6. 25
John Alexander,	2. 50
F. C. Leavitt,	4. 50
M. V. B. Hastings,	9. 00
Wilbur Leavitt,	15. 19
Lewis Gregory,	1. 50
Carl Howe,	1. 25
J. M. Hastings,	71. 05
Wallace Blanchard,	23. 12
Frank W. Leavitt, plank	5. 21
J. M. Hastings, "	8. 77
E. L. Dion, repairing road machine	1. 50
W. H. Miller,	. 30
Geörge Tyler & Co., section	4. 00
C. M. Hildreth & Son, akron pipe	7. 60

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\$286. 27

#### BREAKING ROADS.

Paid John Alexander, 1896	\$ . 50
M. V. B. Hastings,	3. 55
Wilbur Leavitt,	. 95
Lewis Gregory,	6. 60
J. M. Hastings,	10. 80
I. S. Brown,	6. 00
Orin P. Walker,	3. 00
W. H. Miller,	1. 60
J. M. Hastings, 1897	2. 40
L. A. B. Smith,	. 70



W. H. Miller, . 40

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\$36. 50

JAMES M. HASTINGS, Road Agent.

LABOR and MATERIAL on HIGHWAYS

Paid James M. Hastings,		\$13.00
M. H. Perkins,	work	3. 50
Reuben Russell,	"	1. 25
Perley Walker,	"	3. 65
Geo. H. Walker,	"	9. 87
D. A. Thornton,	"	2. 25
John Sherman,	"	1. 50
Harry G. Walker,	"	7. 50
Willard Sherman,	"	7. 00
W. H. Howard,	"	4. 60
Edwin Howard,	" and material	39. 45

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\$93. 57

BREAKING ROADS.

Paid Orrin Walker, work 1896	\$1. 80
Edwin Howard, " " "	7. 45
" " "	1. 20
Orrin Walker, " " "	. 80

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\$11. 25

EDWIN HOWARD, Road Agent.

# Selectmens' Report.

Taxes assessed April 1896	\$2,539. 00
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## ASSETS.

Taxes due on 1893 book O. F. Buswell, collector	\$49. 50
“ 1894 book J. C. Crooker, “	150. 16
“ 1895 book M. H. Perkins, “	366. 30
“ 1896 book “ “	690. 00

In hands of treasurer,	. 57
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Total,	\$1,256. 53
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Received for bounty on hawks	5. 50
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Paid bounty on hawks	5. 50
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## LIABILITIES.

### DUE ON NOTES.

Methodist society,	\$100. 00
M. S. Barton,	743. 00
D. E. Ryder,	330. 00
Mary J. Ryder,	704. 63
Edwin Howard,	260. 07
School fund,	200. 00
Church “	40. 00

Total,	\$2,377. 70
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Liabilities February 15, 1896	\$2,573. 36
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“ “ “ 1897	\$2,377. 70
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	\$195. 66
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### SCHOOL MONEY.

Required by law	\$330. 00
Literary	59. 50
Interest on school fund	6. 00
Dog license	46. 40
Received on leases	31. 09
In hands of town	82. 76
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Total,	\$555. 75
School orders drawn	\$525. 00
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Due school district	\$30. 75
Due on leases	\$127. 00

### ABATEMENTS.

R. A. Bowers, 1888 book	\$4. 23
D. C. Currier,	2. 67
S. R. Smith,	6. 54
Carlos Spooner,	1. 71
C. S. Bean, 1889 book	1. 98
C. O. Barton,	4. 98
S. G. Colby,	5. 69
Betsy Church,	1. 72
D. C. Currier,	1. 62
George Colburn, <i>Paid</i>	6. <del>17</del>
Benjamin Young,	2. 31
R. S. Harlow,	1. 95
J. H. Loverin,	1. 62
Mary A. Loverin,	5. 69
Abram Merrill,	4. 67
P. M. Saunders,	1. 62



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Arthur Spiller,	\$6. 40
H. J. Walker, over tax	2. 70
A. D. Wilmarth,	4. 07
C. D. Young,	3. 67
O. F. Buswell, 1894 book over tax	20. 00
N. C. Thornton,	3. 31
Reuben Russell,	5. 63
E. A. Griffin,	2. 51
James Barton, 1895 book	11.79
S. E. Bickford,	2. 22
Eliza A. Colby,	5. 55
Fred Cook,	4. 00
E. A. Griffin,	2. 22
Mary Hastings,	4. 86
Ira Kimball,	2. 22
Mary A. Loverin,	6. 66
J. H. Loverin,	2. 62
Joab Walker,	9. 66
Total,	<hr/>
	\$155. 26

## MEMORANDUM OF TOWN PROPERTY.

1 road machine.  
 2 iron scrapers.  
 1 road machine shed.  
 1 hearse.  
 1 hearse house.  
 Interest in James Barton farm.

Respectfully submitted,

Wm. H. HOWARD,	}	Selectmen
PERLEY WALKER,		—of—
M. V. B. HASTINGS,		Grantham.

This is to certify that we have this day examined the accounts of the selectmen, overseer of the poor, treasurer and road agents and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

ALBERT L. SHEDD,	}	Auditors.
IMLA S. BROWN,		

Grantham, N. H., February 22, 1897.



SCHOOL REPORT,

— AND —

VITAL STATISTICS.





# School Report.

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1897.

The following report we would respectfully submit :

There has been four schools taught in our school district the past year. In the early part of our school year, we decided to maintain three different terms of school, at the Village, North Grantham and Dunbar Hill, making in all an aggregate of twenty-four weeks each ; and by closing the smaller school on Howe Hill, and assigning its scholars to the nearest division convenient for them, we could give to all scholars better school advantages ; however at the close of our school year, we secured the services of Miss Tupper of Enfield, who taught a very successful term of twelve weeks, on Howe Hill. The Dunbar Hill division, on account of sickness on part of teacher, closed its school after twenty weeks of successful labor by Miss Huntoon ; while the school at North Grantham had twenty-four weeks of school, taught by Miss Sawyer, and was very satisfactory to both school board and parents.

To speak in general terms of the work accomplished, we can say there is a decided advancement on the part of nearly all the scholars, while there is room for still greater improvement.

We have aimed to choose some of our teachers from those that have acquired a normal training, believing they were acquainted with the better methods of teaching, now in use throughout the state ; we do not mean to be understood as saying, that some normal school teachers are not a failure in the school-room, for that would be ranking training above natural ability ; but other things being equal the teacher that has been instructed in the best methods, and has received the most thorough training, will excell in school work.

We have occasion to note the misplaced teacher, negligent parent and truant child, and, as always occurs, they have marred the discipline, and retarded the prosperity of the school with which they were connected.

We would heartily recommend the visiting of your schools, by parents and friends of education, at the begining and close of each term, that you may better note the progress and efficiency of both scholars and teacher.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARA B. HOWE,	}	School Board of Grantham.
ROSINA K. PERKINS,		
JAMES M. HOWE,		

## Perfect Attendance.

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### For one term.

Clarence T. Currier.	Leroy N. Hastings.
George L. Saunders.	Harry W. Leavitt.
Herbert G. Leavitt.	Wallace Leavitt.
Basil Hastings.	Georgie W. Hastings.
Elmer E. Tyrell.	Rotha Tobine.
Richard Tobine.	Bernice Spooner.
Converse Currier.	Arthur Reney.
Maggie M. Barton.	Willard P. Walker.
Chester G. Walker.	

### For two terms.

Harold Carr.	Carl A. Pinney.
Bernice M. Howe.	Edith Spooner.
Ella M. Thornton.	Richard Howard.
Elwin J. Kimball.	Wilbur L. Shedd.
Lula M. Shedd.	Gertrude M. Walker.
Zelma J. Walker.	Phylanie D. Perkins.
Laura B. Hastings.	Nina E. Hastings.
William B. Leavitt.	

### For three terms.

Josie M. Kimball.	Josephine Thornton.
Fred J. Shedd.	Gladys M. Hastings.
Willis L. Hastings.	Helen A. Leavitt.



# Treasurer's Report.

## FOR SCHOOL PUROSES.

### RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand at beginning of year,	\$ 11. 33
Received from town treasurer,	525. 00
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	\$536. 33

### EXPENDITURES.

Paid Loyal Barton, left out last year,	\$ 2. 00
Ella H. Corliss, cleaning school-house,	1. 00
Isaac Reney Jr., cutting wood, etc.,	1. 27
Gladys Howe, cleaning school-house,	1. 00
H. L. Howland, ink,	1. 50
Reed & Buswell, wood,	1. 00
Isaac Reney, wood, etc.,	7. 65
J. M. Howe, coveying teachers, Stationery, etc.,	5. 60
Grace E. Preble, teaching,	40. 00
Georgia Huntoon, "	31. 50
Bertha Sawyer, "	36. 00
Georgia Huntoon. "	38. 50
Bertha Whitaker, "	75. 00
Bertha Sawyer, "	67. 50
Jessie Tupper, "	36. 75
Rosina K. Perkins, board, etc.,	40. 12
Mrs. G. H. Hastings, "	38. 00
B. A. Sargent, "	43. 50
M. J. Ryder, "	20. 00
G. H. Walker, supplies,	. 85
John Sherman. wood,	2. 00
Clarence Barton, conveying scholars,	10. 50

Allen Pinney, repairs,	1. 00
Mrs. C. B. Howe, supplies,	1. 00
Philip Sherman, building fire,	1. 25
Willie B. Leavitt, " "	1. 00
Ralph Howard, " "	1. 35
E. L. Dion, fixing stove,	. 45
G. H. Walker, bal. on repairs,	4. 35
" conveying teacher,	. 50
J. M. Howe, postage, etc.,	. 78

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\$512. 92

Whole amount received \*\$526. 33

Whole amount paid out 512. 92

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Remaining in my hands, \$13. 41

### FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

#### RECEIPTS.

Received of town treasure	\$ 33. 00
" for books sold	1. 62

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\$ 34. 62

#### EXPENDITURES.

Paid Leach, Shewell & Sanborn	\$ 1. 08
American Book Co.,	3. 65
R. W. Musgrove	. 20
J. L. Beers & Co.,	10. 00
Ex. on books	. 60
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	. 71
Mrs. C. B. Howe	1. 00
G. H. Walker, Ex. and pencils	. 79
F. E. Lovell	1. 60

\*Money received for Schools should be \$515. 00, instead of \$525. 00 as stated in my school account.

Paid G. H. Walker, crayons	. 15
American book Co.,	8. 27
Leach, Shewell & Sanborn	2. 48
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	3. 40
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	\$33. 93
Whole amount received	34. 62
Whole amount paid out	\$33. 93
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Remaining in my hands	\$ . 69

JAMES M. HOWE. Treasurer.



# Library Report.

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Whole number of books loaned from Feb. 15, 1896 to Feb. 15, 1897,		1381
Money reported last year	\$2. 67	
Money taken for fines,	1. 37	
	<hr/>	\$4. 04
Paid express on books,	\$. 60	
G. H. Walker,	. 10	
postage,	. 06	
for bottle of ink,	. 05	
express on book,	. 25	
catalogue leaf,	. 75	
	<hr/>	\$1. 81
Paid over to treasurer,		\$2. 23
New books added this year		29
JAMES M. HOWE, Librarian.		

## TREASURERS' REPORT.

Received of town treasurer,	\$19. 80	
Received of librarian,	2. 23	
	<hr/>	\$22. 03
Paid DeWolfe, Fisk & Co.,	\$20. 24	
freight on books,	. 39	
postage,	. 06	
	<hr/>	\$20. 69
Balance in treasury March 5, 1897,		\$1. 34
ADA M. WALKER, Treasurer.		

# SCHOOL STATISTICS.

of Grantham, for year Ending Feb. 1897.

Schools.		TEACHERS.																
Terms—1 Sum, 2 Fall, 3 Winter.			Length of school in weeks. No. of pupils not under 5 years. Average attendance. No. in Reading. No. in Spelling. No. in Penmanship. No. in Arithmetic. No. in Geography. No. in Grammar. No. in History. No. in Composition. No. in Physiology. No. in Book-keeping. No. in Algebra. No. of visits by School Board. Other visitors. Wages of teachers per month.															
V	1	Grace E. Preble.	8	25	20	25	17	25	17	16	6	7	12	4	0	3	6	\$27.00
V	2	Bertha A. Whitaker.	8	26	23	24	24	24	19	13	6	7	0	14	0	1	5	27.00
V	3	"	7	24	20	26	26	26	20	13	7	6	0	7	2	1	4	27.00
N	1	Bertha E. Sawyer.	9	21	19	21	21	18	18	13	1	0	1	21	0	0	3	22.00
Z	2	"	8	21	18	21	18	21	18	14	7	1	1	7	21	0	3	25.00
Z	3	"	7	20	17	20	20	20	20	19	7	1	1	7	11	0	4	25.00
D	1	Georgia E. Huntoon.	9	18	15	17	17	17	11	6	6	2	2	8	8	0	5	21.00
D	2	"	8	17	15	17	17	17	17	8	5	5	5	7	15	0	2	21.00
D	3	"	3	12	12	12	12	12	12	8	5	5	5	0	6	0	2	21.00
H	1	Jessie C. Tupper.	12	13	12	13	13	8	8	6	2	0	0	10	0	0	5	19.00

\*V. Village. N. No. Grantham, D. Dunbar Hill, H. Howe Hill. No. reported by Truant Officer Boys 50, Girls 35. None between 14 and 21 who cannot read or write. None between 5 and 16 who have not attended school.

# BIRTHS

## Registered in the Town of Grantham, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1896.

Date	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Fathers age.	Mothers age.
Feb. 5	Twins	M	Living	2	White	Elbridge Smith	Mary V. Carrier	N. Grantham	Farmer	Grantham	Grantham	24	21
Apr. 14	Esther M.	F	"	2	"	Fred W. Corliss	Carrie B. Boyce	Grantham	Laborer	Croydon	Springfield	28	22
Apr. 19	Lessey May.	F	"	2	"	Charles E Gray	Flor. E. Hutchings	"	"	Lebanon	Thetford, Vt	57	30
Apr. 20		M	"	1	"	Arthur K. Hastings	Maud L. Nichols	"	Farmer	Grantham	Enfield	27	17
June 15		M	"	1	"	Oscar D. Loisselle	Mary M. Corliss	"	Engineer	Keene	Grantham	28	21
Aug. 11	George Keith	M	"	4	"	Josiah G. Thompson	Anna M. Hawley	N. Grantham	Laborer	W. Lebanon	Grantham	36	32
Aug. 11	Vera May	F	"	1	"	Hulbert C. Griffin	Anna E. Rhynud	"	Carpenter	Lawrence Ms	Halifax, N. S.	23	19
Sep. 22	Hellem M	F	"	6	"	Reuben Russell	Ada L. Hall	"	Farmer	Highgate, Vt	Croydon	46	31
Oct. 1		M	"	5	"	Edwin A. Griffin	Edith F. Mahroe	N. Grantham	Carpenter	Lowell, Mass	Newport	32	33
Oct. 4		F	"	3	"	Benjamin Pillsbury	Jennie M. Farwell	Grantham	Laborer	Grafton, N. S.	Grantham	37	23
Oct. 26		M	"	2	"	Guy H. Buswell	Mabel Hastings	N. Grantham	"	Springfield	Grantham	21	19
Nov. 4		F	"	1	"	Edward L. Dion	Carrie Hanaford	Grantham	Miller	Grantham	N. Hampton	25	23
Nov. 10		F	"	2	"		Amy E. Dion	"	Blacksmith	Manchester	Springfield	42	30

# MARRIAGES

Registered in the town of Crantham, N. H., for the year ending Dec. 31, 1896.

Date 1896	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Birthplace of Each.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	No. of Mar- ried	Name, Residence, and Official Station of Person by whom Married.
Jan. 1	Meredith	Guy H. Buswell Carrie M. Hanaford	Grantham N. Hampton	24 23		Miller School-teach'r	Grantham N. Hampton	Oscar F. Buswell Mary M. Leavitt Arath R. Hanaford	Grantham " N. Hampton	Farmer Housewife Farmer	1 1	
Feb. 15	Grantham	Oran C. Hastings Emma L. Kimball	N. Grantham Grantham	25 16	White	Farmer Housekeeper	Grantham Sunapee	Caroline M. Ward Merrill J. Hastings Julia Newell	Lebanon Grantham "	Housewife Farmer Housewife	1 1	Rev. Geo. A. Tyrell No. Grantham
June 23	Grantham	Leon A. Hall Jessie May Blossom	" Rutland Vt.	27 18		Clerk Housekeeper	Grantham Rutland Vt.	Horace F. Kimball Flora M. Kimball Rufus Hall Francina D. Smith George E. Blossom Emily A. Foster	Enfield Grantham Springfield	Farmer Housewife Farmer Deceased Housekeeper	1 1	Rev. D. E. Burns Grantham



# DEATHS

Registered in the town of Grantham, N. H., for the year ending Dec. 31, 1896.

Date 1896.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex.	Color.	Single, Mar. or Widowed.	Occupation.	Birthplace of		Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.
			Years.	Months.	Days.						Father.	Mother.		
Mar. 20	Grantham	Daniel E. Smith	84			Croydon	M	W		Peddler	Croydon	Springfield	John Barton	Carrie M. Hanaford
Oct. 23	"	Kimball D. Barton	75	3	17	Grantham	M	M		Farmer	Grantham	New Hamp'n	Guy H. Buswell	Amy E. Heath
Nov. 4	"	Infant				"	F	W		Housekeeper	Manchester	Springfield	Edwin L. Dion	Sarah Kidder
Nov. 10	"	Mrs. Mary Hastings	79	5	22	"	F	F			Goffstown	Goffstown	Charles Hart	
Dec. 1	"													

I hereby certify that the above records are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

George H. Walker, Town Clerk.

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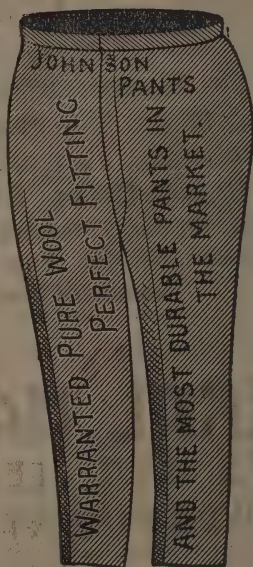


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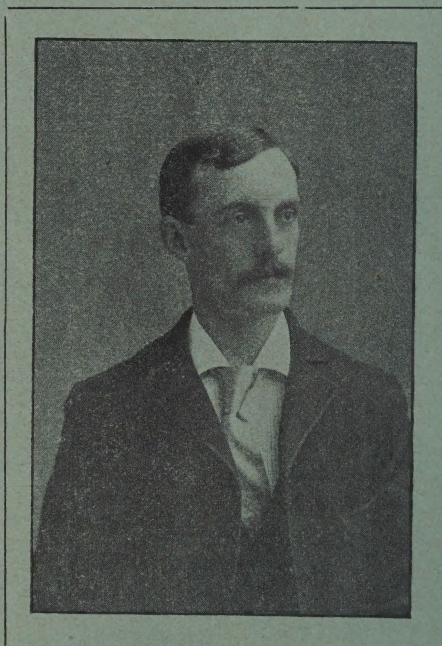
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